



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Mr. Marc E. Elias  
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Washington, DC 20005-3960

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RE: MUR 6916  
Respondents listed in Attachment A

Dear Mr. Elias:

On March 2, 2015, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients, Respondents listed in Attachment A, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. On March 15, 2016, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint, and information provided by multiple respondents, that there is no reason to believe the Respondents listed in Attachment A violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30116, 30118, or 30119 by making or receiving prohibited in-kind contributions in the form of data and analytical tools and no reason to believe the Respondents listed in Attachment A violated 52 U.S.C. §§ 30116 or 30118 by making or receiving prohibited or excessive in-kind contributions in the form of coordinated communications. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003) and Statement of Policy Regarding Placing First General Counsel's Reports on the Public Record, 74 Fed. Reg. 66,132 (Dec. 14, 2009). The Factual and Legal Analysis, which explains the Commission's findings, is enclosed for your information.

If you have any questions, please contact Meredith McCoy, the attorney assigned to this matter at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Peter G. Blumberg  
Assistant General Counsel

Enclosures:  
Attachment A  
Factual and Legal Analysis

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ATTACHMENT A**

Democratic Senatorial Campaign  
Committee (DSCC) and Deanna Nesburg  
in her official capacity as treasurer

Al Franken for Senate 2014 and Thomas H.  
Borman in his official capacity as treasurer

Alaskans for Begich 2014 and Connie  
Sanders in her official capacity as  
treasurer

Alison for Kentucky and Robert C. Stilz III  
in his official capacity as treasurer

Amanda Curtis for Senate and Mary Sexton  
in her official capacity as treasurer

Bellows for Senate and Daniel Hildreth in  
his official capacity as treasurer

Ben Nelson 2012 and Jessica Lathrop in  
her official capacity as treasurer

Braley for Iowa and Theresa L. Kehoe in  
her official capacity as treasurer

Childers for Senate Inc. and Marilyn Jones  
in her official capacity as treasurer<sup>†</sup>

Chris Coons for Delaware and Judith  
Zamore in her official capacity as treasurer

Cory Booker for Senate and Scott Kobler in  
his official capacity as treasurer

David M. Alameel for United States Senate  
and David Pulling in his official capacity as  
treasurer

Domina for Nebraska Inc. and Fred A.  
Lockwood in his official capacity as  
treasurer

Friends of Dick Durbin and Anne  
Dougherty in her official capacity as  
treasurer

Friends of Mark Warner and Gerald S.  
McGowan in his official capacity as  
treasurer

Friends of Mary Landrieu, Inc. and Nancy  
Marsiglia in her official capacity as  
treasurer

Hagan for US Senate Inc. and Dwight M.  
Davidson III in his official capacity as  
treasurer

Jeff Merkley for Oregon and Elise Greene  
in her official capacity as treasurer

Mark Pryor for U.S. Senate and Bob  
Edwards in his official capacity as treasurer

Natalie Tennant for Senate and Arden J.  
Curry II in his official capacity as treasurer

Nunn for Senate and James S. Grien in his  
official capacity as treasurer

Peters for Michigan and Geraldine Buckles  
in her official capacity as treasurer

Reed Committee and Elizabeth R. Young  
in her official capacity as treasurer

Rush Holt for Senate and Robert J. Del  
Tufo in his official capacity as treasurer

Schatz for Senate and Keith Amemiya in  
his official capacity as treasurer

Shaheen for Senate and Kathleen H. Goode  
in her official capacity as treasurer

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Stephen Lynch for Senate and Brian Miller  
in his official capacity as treasurer

The Markey Committee and Marie C.  
Carbone in her official capacity as treasurer

Udall for Colorado and Ellen Marshall in  
her official capacity as treasurer

Udall for Us All and Carolyn Gonzales in  
her official capacity as treasurer

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